

LESSON 3. APOLOGIES

1. a) Phrases and sentences

Sorry!	Извините!
Excuse me!	
Excuse me for....!	Извините за...!
Sorry to trouble you.	Извините за беспокойство.
I'm terribly sorry for being late.	Я ужасно сожалею, что опоздал.
I'm very sorry for troubling you.	Я очень сожалею, что потревожил вас.
I'm awfully sorry for disturbing you.	Я сильно сожалею, что побеспокоил вас.
I'm very sorry, I m afraid... .	Я очень сожалею, но боюсь...
I apologize for...	Я извиняюсь за....
That's (quite) all right.	Ничего, ничего.
It s perfectly all right.	
That's Ok.	
Never mind.	Не стоит.
It doesn't matter.	
Please don't worry.	Пожалуйста, не волнуйтесь.

b) Examples

- A. I Apologize for not coming yesterday.
B. It doesn't t really matter.

A. I'm sorry to have you kept waiting.
B. That's (quite) all right. No need to apologize.

A. So sorry I troubled you.
B. No trouble at all.

A. Excuse my troubling you. Will you give me a reference book?
B. Here you are.

A. I must apologize for being late.
B. That's (quite) all right. We have only just begun.

A. I'm very sorry for troubling you
B. That's (quite) all right.

A. I must apologize I haven't brought a letter.
B. That's (quite) all right. I don't think I need it today.